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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Before taking up the above-identified application for examination, please amend it as follows.

In the Specification

On Page 1 after the Title please insert the following new paragraph:

-Cross Reference to Related Applications

This application claims priority to international application PCT/GB99/03547 filed October 27, 1999 and issued May 4, 2000 as WO 00/253380 which is incorporated herein by reference and claims priority to Great Britain application 9902453.9 filed February 2, 1999 and Great Britain application 9823509.6 filed October 27, 1998 also incorporated by reference.

In the Claims

Please substitute the following amended claims. Specific amendments to individual claims are detailed in the following marked up set of claims.

A2 3. A system as claimed in claim 1 further comprising regeneration means for the generation of electrical energy either directly or indirectly from the storage compound.

A3 6. A system as claimed in claim 1 which further comprises an internal combustion engine connectable to the storage means.

A4 9. A system as claimed in claim 1 wherein the storage compound is a C₁₋₈ alcohol, a Fischer-Tropsch liquid, Mobil gasoline, a C₁₋₈ acid, a C₁₋₈-aldehyde, a C₁₋₈-ether or a C₁₋₈-hydrocarbon.